

I think expanding high speed internet availability over phone lines is the fastest and easiest way to make broadband service available to all Americans. In order to do this, the current phone lines first need to be updated. I live in a home less than 6 years old. I live within range of a central phone office. However, I am unable to receive high speed internet due to antiquated phone lines using load coils. By installing load coils, Bellsouth has essentially created a monopoly on high speed internet access. These coils must be removed from the phone lines before access can be granted. As such, Bellsouth has complete control over when high speed internet access can be available in my area. Therefore, I am not able to utilize the current competitive market for high speed internet access in my area. This needs to be the FCC's first step in achieving the goal of high speed internet availability to all citizens.